

Queen Candidates

Students Will Hold Election Tomorrow For Queen To Reign Over Homecoming Events



ROBERTA KORDES



JOYCE BROWN



JOY ANN WHITE



CAROLE KAY TROTTER

Mr. Gayler Has Conference
November 1-3, Mr. George Gayler, of the social science department, will be in conference with his advisory committee concerning his Ph. D. degree at Indiana University.

Johnny Long's band will play at the Maryland University homecoming next week.

Senate Will Supervise Voting Booth; Sponsors To Help Count Ballots

Tomorrow, in the old Bearcat Den, students will vote for the Homecoming Queen of 1953. The voting will begin at 8:00 a.m. and continue until 4:00 p.m.

Members of the Student Senate will be in charge of the voting booth. Miss Rachael Taul, Dr. Sterling Surrey, and Frank Bayless will count the ballots.

At the Variety Show, tomorrow night, the winner will be announced to the students, and the Queen and her attendants will preside at the pep rally and bonfire after the Variety Show.

Saturday morning, the Queen and each of her attendants will ride in separate convertibles in the parade.

Four girls have been chosen from the campus as candidates for Homecoming queen. They are Joyce Brown, Carole Kay Trotter, Joy Ann White, and Roberta Kordes.

Joyce Brown

Joyce Brown is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. O. Brown of Blythedale. Joyce is a junior and is majoring in business. She belongs to the Independent Club. Bud Williams of Maryville will act as her campaign manager.

Carole Kay Trotter

Carole Kay Trotter from Maysville is a sophomore majoring in speech. Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. Willis Trotter. Carole Kay is a member of the Alpha Sigma Alpha sorority. Frank Russell from St. Joseph will be her business manager. Frank is a sophomore majoring in business.

Joy Ann White

Joy Ann White, a sophomore from Blythedale, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Truman White. She is majoring in home economics. Joy belongs to the Delta Sigma Epsilon sorority. Her manager, Roy Nethken, is a sophomore from Gilman City.

Roberta Kordes

Roberta Kordes from Cameron is a junior majoring in home economics. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Kordes. She is a member of the Sigma Sigma Sigma sorority, Sigma Phi Dolphins, Barkatze, and Colhecon. John Barrett from Westboro is her campaign manager.

Ensign Donald Gregory Is Awarded Commission

Navy Ensign Donald G. Gregory, son of Lowell E. Gregory of Pattonsburg, was awarded his commission in a recent ceremony at the Naval Air Station, Great Lakes, Illinois.

Before reporting for duty to the Commander of Air Forces, Atlantic Fleet, Ensign Gregory will go to Corpus Christi, Texas, for further training.

Ensign Gregory attended the College prior to entering the Naval Aviation Cadet program through the Naval Air Station, Olathe, Kansas. Ceremonies were attended by his father who pinned the wings on his uniform.

Homecoming Breakfast Set For "M" Club Alums

Sixty former members of the "M" club will be feted with a Homecoming Breakfast Saturday morning at 9 o'clock in the main dining room of the Union Building.

President Bob Kariger is in charge of the affair and he along with Dr. J. W. Jones, president of the College, and the coaches Ryland Milner, Don Peterson and Dale Kessinger will give informal speeches.

Colorful Parade Is Highlighted By Floats and Bands

Sixteen floats have been entered in the Homecoming parade. Humorous floats are Beat Warrensburg or Bust, Independent Club; Bubbling With Victory, Sigma Sigma Sigma; Sleigh Warrensburg, Alpha Sigma Alpha; Bearcats' Fame From Pole to Pole, Phi Sigma Epsilon; Old Woman in the Shoe, A. C. E.; Driving to Victory, Industrial Arts.

Hold the Line, Delta Sigma Epsilon; United States Brings the Mail, Agriculture Club; Big Green Triumph, Sigma Tau Gamma; Were You There When Warrensburg Hit the Fan?, Tau Kappa Epsilon. The Horace Mann float is "Eat 'em Up."

Beauty floats are Stairway to the Stars, Independent Club; Our Hero, Sigma Sigma Sigma; NWMS Will Shine, Delta Sigma Epsilon; Atom Bomb, Alpha Sigma Alpha; Sweetheart of the Bearcats, Tau Kappa Epsilon.

Twenty-eight bands will march in the parade. Missouri schools represented are Parkville, Graham, Hopkins, Oregon, Mound City, Stewartville, Maysville, Rockport, Tarkio, Pattonsburg, Ravenwood, Rosendale, Burlington Junction, Savannah, Braymer, Fairfax, Stanberry, Hamilton, Maryville High, Gower, Grant City, Quitman, and Craig.

Iowa bands are from Farragut, Bedford, Lenox, New Market, and Mount Ayr.

Herb Rambles—In Vets' Village

Vets' Village will be featured in the house-decorating contest during the homecoming celebration. To raise funds, an auction sale, consisting of such items as baby-sitting, a baby stroller, cookies, cakes, pie, pickles, milk, paintings, and a basket of ironing, was held in a vacant apartment. Joe Walker was the auctioneer, and Dick Grun served as clerk. Money taken in amounted to \$14.15.

Mayor Al Kyser has appointed a committee to decorate the houses in row two. Lezie Hall will act as chairman; and she will be assisted by Luan Kyser, Janet Spence, Dorothy Norton, Jean Richardson, Charlene Russell, Nancy Dancer, Dorothy Theissen, Dick Grun, and John Shay.

Residents of Vets' Village who are now engaged in full or part-time teaching off campus include the following: Dick Morrison, Quitman; George Barrett, Quitman; and Duane Hopkins, Ravenwood.

Ask Marilyn Anderson how it feels to have the family wash on the line and then have the line collapse in a heap. Rather discouraging, to say the least!

Teachers Credit Union Holds Annual Meeting

Annual meetings of the stock holders and the board of directors of the Northwest Missouri Teachers Credit Union were held at the College on Friday, October 9. A three percent dividend was declared, and the following officers were re-elected: Mr. Francis L. Skith, superintendent of schools at Craig, president; Mr. Everett Brown, College field service director, vice-president; Mr. Dale Blackwell, instructor in business, secretary-treasurer. Approximately 220 teachers throughout Northwest Missouri own shares and use the services of the Teachers Credit Union.

Yea, Bearcats!

Immediately after the Variety Show and the crowning of the Queen, tomorrow night, the newly elected queen and her attendants will lead the supporters of the Bearcats to the campus bell.

Amidst torches held by M Club members, the pep organizations will form a chain leading from the Administration building.

During the activity of the pep rally, the queen and her royal court will be seated in a convertible. Near the queen's royal car will be the remaining football members who are not in the M Club.

Led by the pep band and cheers from the cheerleaders, coaches Peterson, Milner, and Kessinger will give talks. Co-captains Leffingwell and Black will make statements concerning the coming game. A touch of sparkling spirit will be added by the queen's comments.

Students Have Art Display on Second Floor

Miss Olive S. DeLuce, chairman of the fine arts department, will put on display, today, campus and community scenes drawn by the members of her classes in Art 115 and 150.

Bob Dillion, Nancy Snidow, Harold Addington, John Koffman, Joe Walker, Anna Mae Barnes, Virdean Dorman, and Jackie Adams are contributors to the display.

Included in the display will be pictures of the Union, the Industrial Arts building, Vets Village, the College pond, and other nature scenes on the campus.

The display may be observed in the show case on second floor near the entrance to the College auditorium.

Miss Neva Ross Speaks At St. Joseph A. C. E.

Miss Neva Ross of the Department of Education went to St. Joseph Wednesday, October 14, to speak at the opening meeting of the St. Joseph Branch of the Association for Childhood Education. Miss Ross, the Missouri State president of this organization, had as her subject, "The Children Need Understanding Teachers."

Mrs. Dolores Gex, an alumna of the College, is the president of the St. Joseph A. C. E. branch.

DECORATE HOUSES

Nine houses are being decorated for Homecoming!

Committee Makes Plans for Dance Saturday Night

Tickets for the Homecoming dance, which cost \$1.50 per person, are now on sale downtown. They can be obtained at the Maryville Drug Company, Lunch Box Cafe, and the 71 Cafe. Tickets can also be purchased at the Homecoming dance, Saturday night, October 24.

Plans for decoration of the gym have been completed by the dance decoration committee. Concession stands will be located in each balcony. Silhouettes of Bearcats and Mules and pennants will decorate the balconies. At the north end of the gym there will be a large 15x9 painted picture of a football player.

Balloons will create a false ceiling and different colored lights will be used to achieve the desired atmosphere. Green and white crepe paper decorations along the south wall of the gym will form a background for Johnny Long and his orchestra.

Everyone is invited to attend this informal Homecoming dance.

Eight Organizations Participate in Show

The Homecoming variety show consisting of skits from different organizations will be one of the well received events Thursday and Friday nights.

Organ music will be furnished by Mr. Kenneth Bird, of the music department, and the Masters of Ceremonies are to be two well qualified joke-tellers, Ric Tilton and George Kling.

Acts are to be given by the Alpha Sigma Alpha, Dance Club, Independent Club, Delta Sigma Epsilon, Sigma Sigma Sigma, Tau Kappa Epsilon, Phi Sigma Epsilon, and the Sigma Tau Gamma. Conclusion of the variety show will be the crowning of the queen and the presentation of her attendants.

Friends Are Returning

Many friends are coming back for Homecoming. Among them are Winnefred Nelson, teaching in Keokuk, Ia., visiting Joan Cartwright; Sue Shields, working in Kansas City, staying with Helen Phares; Katherine Wade, teaching at White Oak near Savannah, visiting Helen Adams; Betty Curry Yungshlager, visiting Doris Yungshlager.

Miss Alexander Visits Here

Miss Ruth Alexander, director of home economics in the state department at Jefferson City, spent October 12 on the campus. She worked with the staff and visited various home economics classes.

Come as You Are!

Since 1947, an annual informal "Come as You Are After The Game" get-together has been held at the home of President and Mrs. J. W. Jones, immediately following the Homecoming football game. This year will be no exception.

Returning alumni and friends of the College, students and faculty have an opportunity to chat over coffee and doughnuts.

Attractive flower arrangements, which are a special hobby of the president, are always in evidence and there is a general atmosphere of genuine friendliness.

The Homecoming Queen and her attendants are in charge of the dining room, and everyone is given an opportunity to meet them.

Those returning to their alma mater are made to feel as if they actually have come home.

It Takes United Effort—

Homecoming is one of the effective devices by which a college links itself with its friends and former students. It is successful to the degree that these people return to the campus and enjoy the activities that have been prepared for them. Homecoming on this campus has been highly successful by this measuring stick. It could not be successful were it not for the united effort of college faculty and students.

Along with the hard work involved comes the satisfaction that the student body is putting forth every effort to show the Old Grads that they are capable of carrying on the Homecoming activities in the traditional manner which reflects credit on our college.

What a joy it is to have former students back on the campus! These people have been away from the campus achieving success in their chosen fields of work and leading exemplary lives in their communities. We are proud of them. Each of us here desires that every returning former student will have a glorious time at the 1953 Homecoming.

The new five year schedule of the M. I. A. A. brings a conference team for our 1953 Homecoming game. The Central Missouri State College is a worthy opponent. When the MULES meet the BEARCATS the homecoming crowd will see the football game that will justify the trip.

Autumn has decorated the red and golden leaves of the campus trees to WELCOME YOU TO THE 1953 HOMECOMING.
J. W. JONES, President.

Faculty Notes

Miss Jo Ann Harristhal has joined the women's physical education department here this year.

She received her B. S. degree from Northwestern University in Evanston, Illinois, in 1950, with a physical education major. Her graduate work was done at the University of Iowa, where she received her M. A. degree in August of 1953.

Miss Harristhal taught physical education in high school in Staunton, Illinois, for two years.

Mrs. Ruth E. Burke has been appointed dietitian at the Union Building of the College.

Mrs. Burke received her B. S. degree in education from the University of Missouri in 1927, and her B. S. degree in home economics from the same school in 1940.

Before coming to the College, Mrs. Burke was employed as dietitian with several firms in Kansas City and was a home demonstration agent with the Missouri Extension Service.

Miss Mattie M. Dykes will be entertaining her father, Mr. S. J. Dykes, and sister, Miss Mary Dykes, both of King City, during Homecoming.

Home Economics Girls Entertain at Dinner

Home economics students entertained former students of the department at a dinner during the teachers' association. Dinner was served at noon on Friday at the Home Management House.

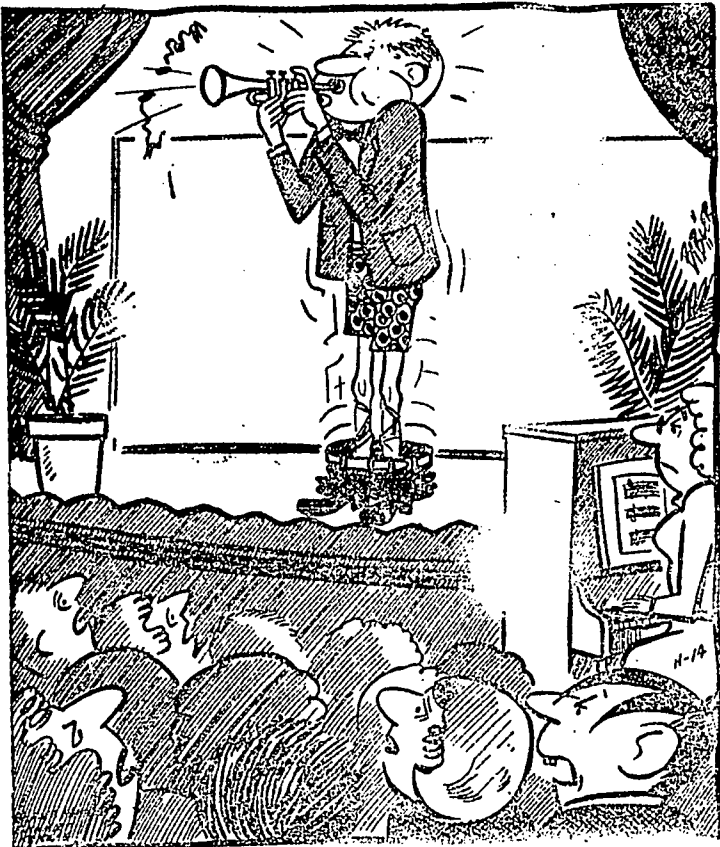
Twenty-five teachers were served at the dinner. Several were from last year's graduating class.

Girls who helped with the dinner are Marym Croy, Martha Newman, Doris Staples, Marilyn Gilliland, Joan Kowitz, Lucille Steinhauer, Marca Dick, Jeanne Powell, Erma

Jean Grabill, Mildred Maxon, Irene Schmitz, Carolyn Risser, Barbara Taylor, Barbara Staley, Carolyn Mix, Pat Baker, and Lona Lou Moore.

LITTLE MAN ON CAMPUS

by Dick Bibler



They say he can hold a note longer than anyone in th' whole band."

Ogden Appoints Committee

At the weekly meeting of the Student Senate, held October 8, Stan Ogden appointed the following people to the Social Committee: John Lindell, Sue McCoppin, Melva Heits, Bob Pumphrey, Louise Novinger, Ric Tilton, and Veldeva Cochran.

Junior Class Has Election

The Junior class elected Gwenda E. Barnes, of Trenton, class secretary and treasurer this week. Bob Shea of St. Joseph is president of the class, and Frank Bayless of Coin, Iowa, is vice-president.

From The Alumni

Gene and Mary Belle Bast Harvey are attending Moody Institute in Chicago. They sent for a year's subscription to the Northwest Missourian.

Mary Belle says, "It is still my favorite paper."

Loren and Ruth Goodspeed Parman are attending Moody Institute. They live next door to Gene and Mary Belle.

Eva June Nadeau is in Lancaster, Pa.

Barbara Richardson teaches third grade in the school at Billings, Montana.

Harley Hackett is in Dearborn awaiting call to the service.

Rosetta Reed is teaching in the home economics department in the high school in Wathena, Kansas.

Evan Agenstein, graduate of 1931, is teaching at Lafayette in St. Joseph.

Former Professor H. T. Phillips is living in Albuquerque, N. M.

Barbara Hudson is teaching home economics at Seymour, Iowa.

Mary Bauman is teaching in Parkville.

Harriet Watson is teaching in Stanberry.

They're Talking About . . .

By Doris Yungshlager

Jo Ann Hagee's and Jeanne Goodson's uncluttered closets . . . Mrs. Luer buried when Jo Ann opened the door. "Curly" Wray wanting to know what culture is . . . he doesn't know yet? . . . Mr. Taylor is slipping . . .

Jim Gillette studying trees . . . ask Angie Saale what kind they are. Barbara Boyd's difficulty in getting her accounting done . . . perhaps a certain football player is giving the interference.

Increasing number of girls coming in late . . . the boys just can't tear themselves away . . . ask Bill Yeary for details . . . Huge number of "Sam's" and "Joe's" on the campus . . . if a name is forgotten, just call "Sam" or "Joe."

Bill Corder promising to let any girl go out with his brother if she'll help with his English . . . better let them see the brother first, Bill . . . girls are naturally suspicious. Dorm party . . . strictly girls this time . . . Some mighty pretty group singing . . . harmony they have.

Homecoming . . . new beauty discovered on the campus . . . queen candidates . . . Hush-rush about skits and floats . . . everyone running around like first semester freshmen . . . lost!

Tunes of "Skip to My Lou" and "Yankee Doodle Dandy" floating through Residence Hall . . . Music 15 students slaving away . . . trying to make a grade.

THE STROLLER

Two dark-haired freshmen, namely Betty Belle Pitts and Bob Sparks, can be seen together quite frequently these days. Cupid never rests.

Room 108, belonging to Mary Rucker and Annie Lou Cowan, at Residence Hall, will very probably be appearing in "House Beautiful" any time now. It's a model of "neat" perfection!

What's with Bob Shea these days, anyway? Seems he has some sort of weird notion that he's the dragon.

Congratulations are in order for Jean Ackley and Dave Pearson. Surely everyone has observed the new sparkler on the third finger of her left hand.

"Prune bread" just isn't one of Ric Tilton's favorites. He always has something uncomplimentary to say about it.

The air is thick with rumors and tidbits concerning the Homecoming Skits. They sound pretty exciting!

Don't be alarmed if Reid Anderson walks up to you and very seriously asks, "What is your religion?" He just wants the facts.

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1953 RESOLUTIONS

of

THE NORTHWEST MISSOURI

TEACHERS ASSOCIATION

WE, THE COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS, wish to submit the following report:

1. We, the Northwest Missouri Teachers Association, extend a vote of thanks to the Board of Regents, President Jones, the program committee, and the members of the Northwest Missouri State College, for their cooperation and hospitality to the teachers of this District.

2. We extend our thanks to Mr. Hubert Wheeler, State Commissioner of Education and to the members of his staff for their contributions to the success of the program as a whole.

3. We extend a vote of thanks to our officers, especially our president, Miss Martha Copeland, and to our secretary-treasurer, Mr. Everett W. Brown, for their untiring efforts in securing this excellent program.

4. We express our thanks to the Missouri State Teachers Association for its support, cooperation and encouragement.

5. Be it known that we deplore the present shortage of teachers and strongly commend the State Department of Education in its efforts to improve this situation.

6. Be it resolved that the Northwest Missouri Teachers Association go on record as approving and supporting the action now underway, to test in the Supreme Court of Missouri the constitutionality of the Governor's veto of 9 1-4 million dollars appropriated by the General Assembly to the schools of our State.

7. Be it further resolved that if Governor Donnelly calls a special session of the Legislature that he present to the members the

proposal to restore the funds withheld in the amount of 9 1-4 million dollars for the support of public education in the State of Missouri.

8. Be it resolved that our Association favor Federal Aid to Education provided such aid would not carry provisions that could lead to Federal control.

9. Resolved that the State Teachers Association be commended for its interest in the State Commission on Teacher Education and Professional Standards, and that the State Teachers Association urge the Commission on Teacher Education and Professional standards to take immediate steps looking toward the recommendation to the State Department of Public Schools and the State Board of Education of higher certification standards for beginning teachers, and that the State Teachers Association urge the Commission on Teacher Education and Professional Standards to establish accreditation standards equal to those established by

the American Association of Colleges for Teacher Education for the accreditation of any institution in this State which recommends teachers for certification, and that the State Teachers Association urge the State Department of Public Schools and the State Board of Education to adopt and administer such standards in the approval of higher education institutions engaged in the education of teachers in this State, and that the Commission on Teacher Education and Professional Standards recommend to the State Department and the State Board of Education a date by which time all institutions educating teachers in this State shall have met the standards established by these recommendations.

10. The committee wishes to stress the fact that as teachers we should ever be mindful of the serious economic and social problems facing the world, that we should always be vigilant in helping to solve such problems.

11. The committee wishes to strongly urge all teachers of the Northwest Missouri District to become members of the local, state, and national associations in order to improve the educational program of our boys and girls.

12. We recommend that the secretary of the Northwest Missouri Teachers Association be instructed to provide the Committee on Resolutions of the Missouri State Teachers Association with a copy of these resolutions.

13. Be it resolved that the secretary of the Northwest Missouri Teachers Association be authorized to send a copy of these resolutions to Governor Donnelly.

14. We further recommend that copies of these resolutions be printed in The Northwest Missourian and the School and Community.

RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE:

E. B. Lott, Chairman
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Tommy Teke says Residence Hall

When the ink gets dry on this copy . . . Homecoming will be well on its . . . way . . . All forty-five members of Tekedom . . . started working last week . . . Will have two grand floats . . . and many surprises from the goodie box . . . for you all . . .

Congrats . . . to all the boys . . . who think that taking a vacation with uncle sam . . . is better than going to this place of higher prices . . . Frat brother Liechti is well on his way to the corps also . . . Would like to remind most of you . . . for that extra long vacation . . . Save your cuts for finals week . . .

Also would like to let you in on a hot tip . . . Uncle Gino looked in his glass . . . and said . . . On the beauty angle this Friday nite . . . The redcoats are coming . . .

Final results coming in on the bids for Firechief . . . top tune of the week . . . Drill 'Em All . . . which may be heard at the Uptown library . . . Having trouble at the Teke house . . . the lights won't work most of the time . . . could be a great ready room for Homecoming . . . Oh! By the way . . . here's a big cheer for the Phi Sigs . . . they finally have learned to spell . . . The closing ode for the week . . . She liked her trousseau . . . He liked her torso . . . That's why her trousseau was torso . . .

Math Club

Wednesday evening, October 7, a group of students interested in mathematics met and organized the Math Club for this year.

Standards of membership and qualifications for membership were discussed. It was decided that the Math Club should extend membership to any student who has interest in mathematics. Those attending this meeting and the sponsors of the Math Club feel that the program for this year promises to be an interesting one.

Officers are Harold Gray, president; Carroll Wheeler, vice-president; Wayne McDaniell, secretary and treasurer; and Ralph Barnett, reporter.

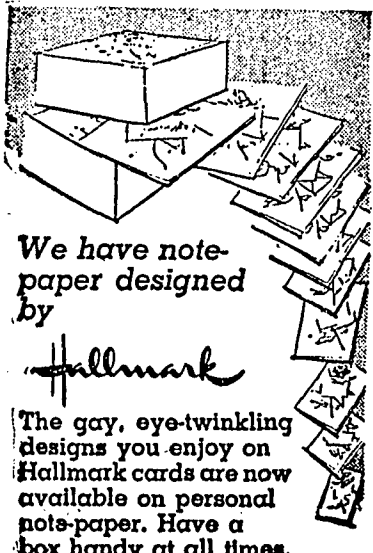
All interested students are invited to attend the next regular meeting which will be held tonight.

S. C. A.

Student Christian Association is getting well underway after starting off with a picnic in Roadside Park and featuring a very interesting movie in the second meeting.

Officers of SCA for this year are Herbert Anderson, president; Betty Heyser, vice president; Fred Whitford, secretary; George Noble, treasurer; and David Penwell, reporter. The faculty advisers are Dr. Irene Mueller and Dr. Joseph Dreps.

Most of last year's members are back, and many new members have already joined. New members will be initiated at tonight's meeting. The program includes eating dinner together at the Union, games, and a devotional. Those planning to eat with the SCA group should join the dinner line promptly at 5:15.



HOTCHKIN'S

Residence Hall

Monday night, October 12, at 9:30 p.m., the first dormitory party was held. President Marilyn Gilliland was in charge of a brief business meeting during which the nominating committee selected their candidates for vice-president of the Dorm Council. They are Mary Shipton, Charlene Carr, Joyce Haws, and Lynnelle Hankins.

First floor girls were in charge of the program. Joan Kowitz acted as mistress of ceremony. Jean Ackley sang a solo accompanied by Mrs. Jack Moore.

All of the girls enjoyed a style show of "the proper attire for answering the phone." Wanda Kingsolver read a letter to a Missouri Boy. Betty Rion played some boogie woogie. The 4-Lorn Lovers entertained the girls with a novelty song.

Group singing led by Louise Novinger and refreshments of apple cider and doughnuts were enjoyed by all.

Sigma Sigmas

Every Tri Sigma is working hard to make Homecoming a bigger and better success this year. Irene Schmitz is Homecoming chairman. Other chairmen are Avis Murrell, humorous float; Marca Dick, beauty float; Ann McNeil, house decorations; and Jo Ann Meek, skit chairman.

Several former Tri Sigmas were on campus for teachers' meeting last week. Marilyn Hartell, Dona Walker, Mary Bauman, Pat McClaren Babb, and Jo Ellen Wilson all attended the meeting October 8.

Formal pledging was held October 12, in the chapter room. Barbara Nixon was elected president of the pledge class. Other officers are Helen Durby, vice-president; Greta Garten, secretary; Jean Ann Ward, treasurer; and Ruth Tebow, song leader.

Dance Club

Again this year the dance club has been organized with officers being elected at the first meeting. The new officers are Gerry Struck, president; Marilyn Houston, vice-president; Nancy Menefee, secretary and treasurer; and Greta Garten, reporter.

Dances are being practiced for the variety show. The "Tennessee Wig-Walk," the "Galliwogs Cakewalk," and "The Bear Who Let It Alone" are to be presented.

Club meetings are held every Wednesday night from 7 to 8 p.m. Girls interested are invited to join.

Colhecon

Colhecon held its regular meeting Wednesday night, October 14, at the home management house. President Bonnie Henderson presided.

Several new girls who are home economics majors were present and they were made welcome by the sponsor, Miss Anita Rice, and the old members. The "betty lamps" were given to new girls to be signed and handed in the next meeting.

Getting Ready for H-Day . . .

Tau Kappa Epsilon has entries in all of the activities during the Homecoming celebration. Ric Tilton, Mike Hutcheon, Monte Shaufler, and Bob Wilson head committees in charge of these activities.

It is our desire to be an integral part of what we believe will be the most successful Homecoming in years.—Carter Botkin, president.

This year the Independent Club is going all out for its Varsity Show skit. A very competent committee, Joyce Brown, Mary Shipton, Joan Kowitz, Wanda David, Veldeva Cochran, Marilyn Brown, and Angie Adams, planned a skit that we think has pep and possibilities.—Bud Williams, president.

Pi Omega Pi is planning to take an active part in Homecoming with our annual luncheon for alumni. This year it will be a very informal gathering. The luncheon is to be held in the Lakeview dining room of the Union at 11:45, October 24. Reservations may be obtained from Dale J. Blackwell, sponsor, here at the College.—Rita Hunter, president.

All that can be heard around the Sig Tau Quad is Homecoming, Skit, Float, and Queen Candidates. The hustle and bustle is maddening. The favorite saying, as it was last year and as far back as there has been Homecoming, is "Never again."—John Lindell, president.

Delta Sigma Epsilon members plan to take an active part in Homecoming. Plans have been made to decorate the Don Alexander home by the group. Georgia Harmes is author and director of the skit in which most of the group will participate. Joy Ann White is Delta Sigma Epsilon's candidate for Homecoming Queen.—Lucille Steinhauer, president.

Here's to the 1953 Homecoming! When fall comes around our first thoughts turn toward making this day the greatest celebration of the year. Sigma Sigma Sigma will do its part and members are counting on the football team doing theirs. That's a hint for a win over Warrensburg this Saturday. Good luck, boys!—Lois Kemper, president.

Feet learning new steps, classes being cut, eyes having that deep set in look, what's this? Why, Homecoming is this week, can't you tell? The annual Founders Day Banquet will be held in the Main Dining Room of the Union at 6:30, Saturday evening, October 24, followed by a program. Reservations are to be made with Phyllis Riegel, Residence Hall.—Annie Lou Cowan, president, Alpha Sigma Alpha.

Alpha Sigma Alpha Phi Sig Review

Alpha Sigmas have had skit practice every night with author and director Jacky Adams yelling out the cues. Those in the skit for the Variety Show are Jacky Adams, Kay Milligan, Annie Lou Cowan, Fran Cross, Joyce Haws, Barb Staley, Betty Nazarene, Mary Bogle, Doris McKinley.

Joyce Hamilton, Betty Belle Pitts, Virdean Dorman, Lona Moore, Nancy Kariger, Jean Goodson, Pat Cooper, Sandra Almqvist, Molly Koffman, Virginia Watkins, Pat Adams, Arlene Crockett, Carolyn Baker, and Jane Kurtz, pianist. Darlene Case is in charge of costumes and Betty Nazarene is chairman of the props.

Independent Club

A peak in Independent Club membership has been reached! Treasurer, Corwin Elliott, reports that 125 students are now members of the National Independent Students' Association on this campus. Also, 63 new blue jackets will be seen dotting the campus.

Newman Club

Father Buhman, director of the Newman Club, showed a film on the mass, explaining it further throughout the showing at a dinner meeting held Thursday, October 8, in the Lakeview Room of the Union.

Plans were discussed for the members to take a tour of the Conception Abbey and the convent at Clyde in November.

Pat Baker, president, urged those present to continue their attendance and to further the interests of the club to other members.

Delta Sigmas

Work is progressing on Homecoming activities. Those in the skit, which is directed by Georgia Harmes, are Rosalee Grace, Jo Ellen Anderson, Janet Trost, Aleta Butler, Beverly Moore, Charlene Carr, Bernice Short, Lucille Steinhauer, Patty Neff, Evelyn Finter, Shirley Helts, Jean Ackley, Norma Gladstone, Jean Ann Feurt, and Lois Kelley.

The alumnae dinner will be held Homecoming night at the Presbyterian Church. Lavon Mattes, alumnae secretary, is in charge of the affair. She is being assisted by Beverly Moore and several pledges.

Officers of the new pledge class were elected as follows: Beverly Thompson, president; Norma Gladstone, vice-president; Janet Trost, secretary; Sally Bolin, treasurer; Shirley Helts, reporter.

Delta Sigma has joined with Tau Kappa Epsilon in sponsoring Joy Ann White for Homecoming Queen.

Barkatze

Reid Anderson was elected president of the Barkatze for the coming year. The other officers are John Lee Thompson, vice-president; Charlotte Huntsman, secretary; Carolyn McDonald, treasurer; and Marcla Woodcock, reporter. Stunt chairmen are Louise Novinger and John Lee Thompson.

Anyone interested in becoming a member of the Barkatze is invited to the next meeting, Monday, October 26, at 4:00. The meeting will be held in room 207. The requirements are loyalty and lungs.

PEM Club

Physical education majors and minors held their first meeting October 12 in the Union. It was decided by the club that a coffee hour would be held in the Lakeview Room of the Union on October 24, from 9 to 10 a.m. for the alumnae.

The president appointed the following committees: Food committee, Dixie Moore, Lois Kemper, and Virdean Dorman; Hostesses, Claire Johnson, Kay Milligan, Nancy Menefee, Nancy Rainey, Gerry Struck, Virginia Watkins.

Carolyn McDonald, Marilyn O'Connor, Meredith Wilkinson, Beverly Murphy, Phyllis Hayes, and Marilyn Houston; Clean-up committee, Ann Corless, Barbara Kunze, and Jean Summers.

Guest Books: Mallard Maune and Gerry Struck.

Officers of the PEM Club are president, Ann Corless; vice-president, Lois Kemper; secretary-treasurer, Virdean Dorman; reporter, Carolyn McDonald.

F. T. A.

On October 14 the Future Teachers of America met to organize for the coming year. The following officers were elected: Audra Williams, president; Marilyn Brown, vice-president; Bill Baber, secretary and treasurer; Wanda Mantzey, librarian. Gwendolyn Barnes was appointed program chairman and Mrs. Leola Hall is reporter.

Future Teachers of America is sponsoring the assembly for National Education Week which will be given November 4.

Dr. Leon Miller is the sponsor of this group and is assisted by Miss Jean Kinnie and Mr. James Johnson.

Sigma Tau Gamma

Sigma Tau Gamma fraternity pledged 31 new members. They are Charles Adair, James Albertson, James Bishop, Marvin Bowman, Paul Clark, David Culver, John Davis, Maurice DeShazer, Kenneth Dowden, John Fuller, G. Fasone, J. Joy, Larry Jones, Bill Kelim, Jim Kimble, J. Mitchell, David Myers, Jamie Neely, Kirby Norman, Ron O'Dell, K. Philo, B. Pumphrey, Jim Rohlk, Larry Rowley, Frank Russell, H. Southard, Bill Sparrow, Rex Stuck, Douglas Swearingen, Kenny Tobin, and P. Tunks.

A. C. E.

October 7 the Association for Childhood Education pledged the freshmen girls and initiated the upperclass pledges from last spring. Virginia Fuhrman, a former A. C. E. member now teaching at Fillmore, visited the meeting.

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Bearcats vs. Mules in Homecoming Game

Only 0-0 Tie With Cape Girardeau Mars An Otherwise Perfect Homecoming Record

A fired up Maryville Bearcat football team with a record of never having lost a Homecoming game faces one of its toughest assignments of the season here Saturday afternoon when Warrensburg's rugged Mules invade Memorial Stadium for the 1953 Homecoming fracas.

Since Homecoming became a large scale production in 1947, the 'Cats have only a 0-0 tie with Cape Girardeau to mar an otherwise perfect record.

Two squeakers, a 13-12, 1948 win over Kirksville and last year's thrilling 28-27 win over the same Bulldogs are the only narrow wins the local eleven have registered. Cape Girardeau fell 41-14 in '49 and 13-0 in '51 while College of Emporia dropped a 27-6 decision in '50.

Saturday's game will have to be won for a two fold reason. Not only does the Green and White have to protect their perfect Homecoming record but they must win in order to stay in the running for conference honors.

While the season's record is not too impressive, with only two wins in five outings, last week's 21-7 win over a good Ft. Hays team brought hopes to the Maryville players and coaches.

Up to the win over the Tigers, the Cats had floundered around like a lost animal in the forest never knowing just where they were going or what they were to do once they got to their destination.

In the Hays contest, brilliant performances by Gil Obregon and Darrell Walker, both under classmen, brought the Cats from out of the woods.

With no serious injuries, the Maryville eleven that takes the field Saturday should be ready for their best showing of the year.

Besides Walker and Obregon in the backfield, co-captain Don Black and fullback Bill Baldwin are cinch starters. Wilbur Sleep, recently moved from end to fullback, will probably see plenty of action in relief roles.

Carl Leffingwell, giant 220 pound co-captain anchors the Bearcat forward wall from his right tackle position. Surrounding the all conference Leffingwell, Coach Ryland Milner has installed, ends Larry Rowley and Ono Monachino, guards Don Palmer and Jim Gillett, center Ernie Hutchings and Bob Dillon at the other tackle. Ready for action if needed are ends Fred Maher, Red Walker, still hobbled with a bruised calf but expected to see some action and Jim Swaney, tackles, Bill Crenshaw, Howard Davenport, and Don Schenkel, guards, Bob Kariger, Mark Burns and Carl Townsend and center Stan Ogden.

Visiting Warrensburg, still looking for win number one are plenty rugged. The Mules held highly regarded Cape Girardeau to a 7-7 tie last week though losing 20-7 to William Jewell showed plenty of power and deception to Coaches Milner and Don Peterson who scouted the contest.

With a line that averages above the 200 pound mark, new coach Lew Comer has installed a fast moving backfield led by the clever quarter backing of Bob Lobb and the speedy running of Pete Wolz.

Though the Mules have yet to come up with a '53 victory. Saturday afternoon will probably see them at their best as has been the case in all previous Maryville-Warrensburg games.

Dave Meyers Is Forced To Turn in Uniform

Dave Meyers, freshman fullback, from Emmetsburg, Ia., has turned in his uniform for the remainder of the season.

Meyers was injured in the William Jewell game and it's feared that an operation will have to be performed on his knee before he'll be able to play football again.

Random Shots..

By BRUNO OAKERSON

All eyes are turned to Homecoming... Sportscasters and arm-chair quarterbacks are picking the outcome of the game... Most of them seem to think that the Bearcats are 14 point favorites... But I think the Mules will turn out with lots of hustle and make the Green and White team work hard for victory...

Big Jon Wohlford... Bearcat end in '49... just finished a hitch with the Air Force... and is working for a sporting goods store in St. Joseph... Coach Milner feeling low with flu last week... Bill Ogden... a fellow who used to raise "cane" with the local links... returning from Anchorage, Alaska, in time for this big weekend...

People finding out that touch football is not for softies... Lots of new rules to think about... All States with a great passing attack... Also girls in the stands... Fort Hays boys gave a real show for spectators last Thursday in practice... and gave still a better account of themselves on Friday night...

Fellows out for b-ball... getting their eye back... are also looking forward to first tilt... with Alumni... One boy said, "Easy Meal," But I say the varsity should lookout! Tennis courts having steady workout... Coach Kessinger having trouble with... some members of his golf class... Seems one fellow thinks the Union grounds could be used for... a driving range... And what about the woman who is taking up car racing... around the Union...

Don't think I'm preaching about school spirit... We have lots of it... But let's build it much higher... When the Bearcats hit the field Saturday... Let's really yell and get behind them all the way... See you at the game!

MIAA STANDINGS

TEAM	W	L	T
Kirksville	2	0	0
Rolla	2	1	0
MARYVILLE	1	1	0
Springfield	1	1	0
Cape Girardeau	0	2	1
Warrensburg	0	1	1

GAMES THIS WEEK:
Warrensburg at Maryville, Sat.
Rolla at Kirksville, Sat.
Springfield at Cape, Fri.
Individual Statistics
Rushing..... Obregon 293 yds.
Passing..... Walker 32 for 69.
Scoring..... Walker 21 points

His loss will be felt keenly as he was developing into one of Coach Ryland Milner's better backfield men.

Former Editor Teaches

Mrs. Joe Beatriz, the former Marguerite Whaley, is now teaching the second grade at the Madison school, near Fresno, California. Mrs. Beatriz was editor of the Northwest Missourian in 1945-46.

MEET THE 'CATS



WILBUR SLEEP



MICKEY MALLEN



BILL NORTON I



BILL CRENSHAW

Intramural Football

A new phase of Intramural competition moved on campus this week as touch football was introduced. Eight different intramural clubs are all in a single round elimination tournament. Winners of this tourney should be known by the end of next week.

The teams and their leaders in the intramural tourneys are as follows: RED LABELS, directed by Mark Burns and Ric Tilton; ALL STATES, directed by Ernie Hutchings and Bill Norton; WESTERNERS, directed by Don Palmer and Bill Plummer; IOWEGIANS, directed by Don Black and John Lindell; GPHERS, directed by Bush and Rohik; EASTERNERS, directed by Red Walker and Jerry Sprong; NORTHERNERS, directed by Richardson and Wray; and the SOUTHERNERS, directed by Ogden and Agenstein.

FIRST ROUND RESULTS

All States	19	Iowegians	0
Easterners	9	Sparkies	7
Red Labels	25	Gophers	6
Northerners	19	Westerners	18

Obregon's Long Runs Pace 'Cats to 21-7 Win Over Hays

Gil Rushes for 157 Yards Plus a 57 yd. Touchdown

Paced by brilliant Gil Obregon, Maryville's Bearcats scored a convincing 21-7 decision over Ft. Hays last Friday night before an appreciative Dads' Night audience.

Obregon, who had experienced a rather difficult season up to date, came through with flying colors. He personally accounted for 157 yards rushing from scrimmage and his 65 yard kickoff return scored the game's first touchdown.

Maryville picked up two points in the second quarter when Pete Neeley, Hays quarterback, fell on his own fumble in the end-zone.

Bud Lousch, kicking off from his own 20, watched Obregon take the ball on his 35 and go all the way behind perfect blocking. Darrell Walker kicked the extra point and Maryville led 9-0.

Hays came right back on a 51 yard pass play from Toby Johnson to George Shroyer that placed the ball on the five yard line. Four plays later Gene Jaco went over from the one foot line. Curtis DeBey's conversion made it 9-7 still Maryville.

Two long drives in the third and fourth quarter gave the Cats their

final two scores. With Obregon consuming most of the long yardage, Walker sneaked over once from the one and again from the six for the touchdowns. Both conversion attempts by Walker were wide of the mark.

Hays made only one more serious threat but an alert Bearcat secondary repulsed their passing attack to take the ball on downs.

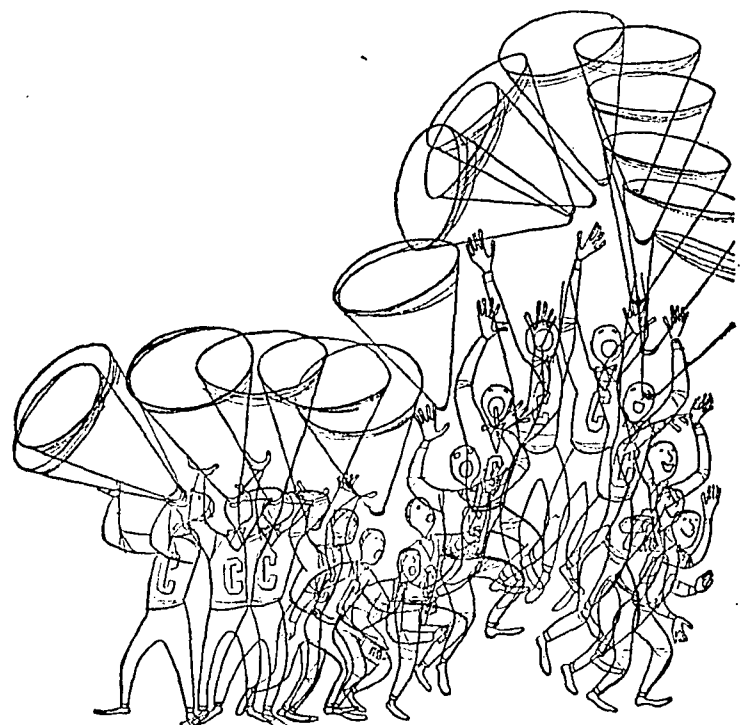
Line standouts for the local collegians were Ernie Hutchings, Don Palmer, Larry Rowley, Jim Gillett, Carl Leffingwell and Bob Dillon.

On TV Show Tonight

Head football coach Ryland Milner and his assistant Don Peterson can be seen on KFEQ-TV tonight at 10:15.

Both coaches will be guests of Bob Horstmann, KFEQ-TV sports director, for an informal chat.

Also during the week on the sports show, Maryville football players will be pictured relative to the part they'll be playing in Saturday's Homecoming game with Warrensburg.



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